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FOR: LOOK-UP TABLE BASED USB IDENTIFICATION

37 CFR 1.322 & 37 CFR 1.323 REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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Sir:

The following is a request for a certificate of correction in Serial Number 09/773,026, now Patent Number 6,981,080.

A certificate of correction under 35 USC 254 is respectfully requested in the above-identified patent.

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The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application are as follows:

On the face page, in field (57), under "ABSTRACT", in column 2, line 1, delete "An embodiment of USB device comprises" and insert - - A USB device includes - -, therefor.
(Amendment to specification filed on March 10, 2005, in the abstract, page 2, line 1).

In column 4, line 3, in Claim 4, after "pins" insert - - on - -.
(Amendment to claims filed on Aug. 25, 2005, page 2, in Claim 4, line 3)

In column 4, line 8, in Claim 5, after "also" insert - - containing - -.
(Amendment to claims filed on Aug. 25, 2005, page 2, in Claim 5, line 3)

In column 4, line 25, in Claim 9, delete "amnd" and insert - - and - -, therefor.
(Amendment to claims filed on Aug. 25, 2005, page 3, in Claim 14, line 7)

In column 4, lines 34 - 36, in Claim 12, delete "wherein said vendor identification information is in a fixed electronically readable medium." and insert - - , wherein said lookup table and said vendor identification are located on an integrated circuit. - -, therefor.
(Amendment to claims filed on Aug. 25, 2005, page 4, in Claim 22, lines 1 - 2)

The requested corrections are attached on Form PTO 1050.

Respectfully Submitted

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